

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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THABO SEFOLOSHA,

Plaintiff,

Action No. 1

-against-

Case No.
16 Civ. 2564
(JMF)

P.O. JOHN PAUL GIACONA, P.O. JORDAN
ROSSI, P.O. RICHARD CASTER,
P.O. DANIEL DONGVORT, P.O. MICHAEL
O'SULLIVAN, and THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

Defendants.

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P.O. JORDAN ROSSI, pursuant to Notice,
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2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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4 PERO ANTIC,

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Plaintiff,

Action No. 2

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-against-

Case No.
16 Civ. 2425
(JMF)

7 THE CITY OF NEW YORK, POLICE OFFICER
RICHARD CASTER, Individually and in
8 his capacity as a member of the New
York City Police Department, POLICE
9 OFFICER PAUL GIACONA, Individually
and in his capacity as a member of
10 the New York City Police Department,
POLICE OFFICER DANIEL DONGVORT,
11 Individually and in his capacity as
a member of the New York City Police
12 Department, POLICE OFFICER MICHAEL
O'SULLIVAN, Individually and in his
13 capacity as a member of the New York
City Police Department, and JOHN
14 and JANE DOES, said names being
fictitious and intended to represent
15 individual officers, members, agents,
servants and/or employees of the New
16 York City Police Department in their
individual and official capacity,

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Defendants.

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1 Jordan Rossi

2 A. There was some French -- it
3 sounded like French -- two males screaming.
4 I'm not sure what they were screaming in
5 French.

6 O. Why do you think they were French?

7 A. I was actually, when I was in
8 front of 118 Tenth Avenue bringing people
9 north, they were part of the group that I was
10 asking to move northbound.

11 Q. Did you hear any other civilians
12 shouting anything during this interaction with
13 Mr. Sefolosha when he was being arrested?

14 A. At that time, no. In the video
15 you can hear people yelling, but at that time
16 you kind of get tunnel vision and you don't
17 really hear as much.

18 Q. Did you know why your fellow
19 officers were arresting Mr. Sefolosha?

20 A. No.

21 0. Did you care?

22 A. You're speaking about like
23 afterwards?

24 Q. As the fellow officers are
25 arresting Mr. Sefolosha, did you care to know